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THE LETTER FROM THE SECURITY OFFICER, CANADIAN DELEGATION  
TO THE DIRECTOR, NATO OFFICE OF SECURITY, IN REFERENCE TO  
THE TREU CASE, DATED 7 JULY 1978, IS FORWARDED FOR YOUR  
INFORMATION:

"DEAR MR. MISSLBECK,

- FURTHER TO AMBASSADOR HARDY'S LETTER DATED JUNE 20,  
1978 TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL CONCERNING THE JUDGEMENT  
ISSUED AGAINST DR. PETER TREU, I MUST INFORM YOU THAT THE  
COURT OF APPEAL HAS NOW RULED AGAINST PUBLICATION OF THE  
JUDGEMENT IN THE TREU CASE.

- IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THE RULING HANDED DOWN BY THE  
COURT OF APPEAL COULD BE OVERRULED AND UNTIL SUCH TIME  
AS THIS QUESTION IS RESOLVED ONE WAY OR THE OTHER, I WOULD  
REQUEST THAT THE JUDGEMENT BE ACCORDED PRIVILEGED STATUS  
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AND NOT BE RELEASED BY NATO.

- I REGRET THE CONFUSION IN THIS MATTER BUT DEVELOP-  
MENTS ARE BASED ON APPARENT COMPLEX LEGAL ISSUES WHICH  
CAN ONLY BE RESOLVED BY THE CANADIAN JUDICIARY AND,  
HOPEFULLY, WILL BE RESOLVED IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

- I AM SENDING A COPY OF THIS LETTER TO THE SECURITY  
OFFICERS IN EACH DELEGATION TO APPRISE THEM OF THIS  
LATEST UNEXPECTED DEVELOPMENT.

- YOURS SINCERELY,

- ROBERT HAY

- SECURITY OFFICER.BENNETT

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